Regina Maris Reunion 2013

# The Jolly Boat

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Photo Credit: Lee Bruno (79-80) Pacific Ocean off Mexico heading towards Panama. Dec 1979

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Port of Call: Gloucester, MA, USA
Location: Gloucester Maritime Heritage Center
Position: 42N 36' - 070W 39'
Dates: 6-8 September 2013

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## Season's Greetings - dec 2012

Season's Greetings, All.

Not much new to report on reunion activities as we approach the Holiday. (Serious reunion planning will happen after the New Year, so the January *Jolly Boat* should be chock full of new developments.) If

you're new to the *Jolly Boat* this month, you can find some reunion logistical details further down.

The big news this month is that the ranks of former Regina Crew who have contacted us are swelling. There are about 95 of us on board right now. Many of you need to update your profile with accurate dates of service and contact info. Please take a moment and Punch the UPDATE MY PROFILE button found immediately after the Crew Timeline.

We're still on the lookout for more Regina Crew. The Jan/Feb 2013 issue of WoodenBoat magazine has a mention of our upcoming reunion and along with contact info. That should turn up some more shipmates. If any of you can find any shipmates not listed on the Crew Timeline, direct them to the *Jolly Boat* signup form at this web address

http://eepurl.com/rmcQv

Or just have them drop us an email at

reginamaris1908@gmail.com

As you gather with friends and family to remember Christmases and adventures past, here are some Regina memories to recall (or experience for the first time) and share with your families. Happy Holidays, All.

Steve Nelson on behalf of

**The Regina Maris Reunion 2013 Organizing Crew**

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# Season's Greetings - dec 1971

**The Magnificent Seven of the Regina Maris--On The Beach**
Santa Barbara, Curacau Dec 1971. Photo Credit: Klaus Peter Hanusa

Pictured Left to Right-- Joachim Bliese (Steward), Henk Manussen Jr, (crew), Klaus Peter Hanusa (photographer & cinematographer), Roger Callan (First Mate), John Kerr (crew) . Tim Nossiter (crew), Paul Maskell (Second Mate), Tim Pickthall (crew).

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# Christmas Tree - dec 1976

Christmas tree on the bowsprit

Still in Boston Dec 1976

(Soon to head south through a winter gale.)

Marc Orbach photo 1976

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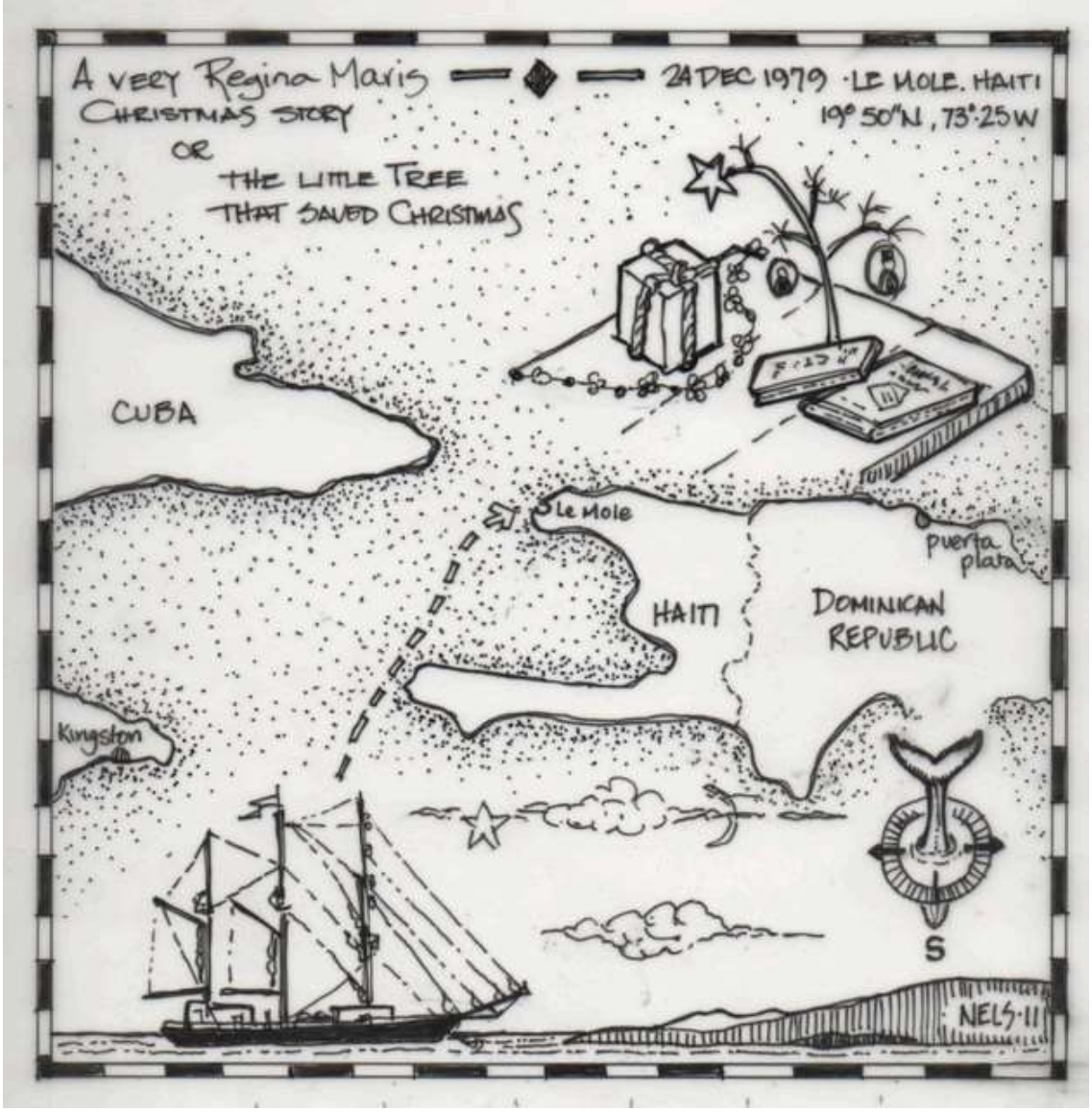
# Christmas Tree - 24 dec 1979




**The crew was pretty grumpy** as we headed north out of the Panama Canal. Hopes of spending a wild reggae Christmas in Kingston, Jamaica had recently been dashed (rumor was that there was a lien on Regina in Kingston), son on the morning of 24 Dec 1979, we found ourselves dropping anchor in Bahia du Mole, that little bay at the western tip of the northern peninsula of Hispaniola. Aboard were just a transit crew moving Regina from Panama to Puerta Plata, DR. . . .

Steve Nelson's recollection of a Regina Christmas spent anchored in Bahia du Mole, Haiti continues HERE

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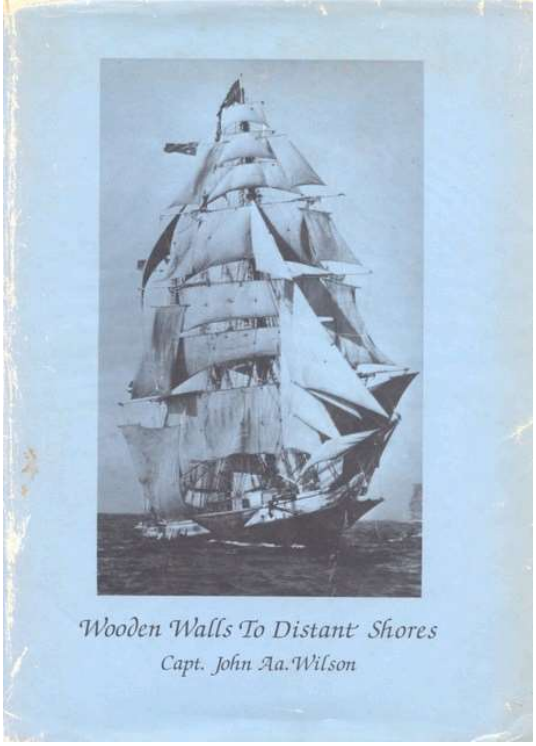
## Regina's Early Years - 1908 to 1966




Capt John Aa Wilson writes about Regina's early years in his book, ***Wooden Wall to Distant Shores***:

"The "Regina Maris" story is the history of a latter day clipper. She slid off the stocks at Svendborg, Denmark, in 1908, built oak on oak, a three-mast fore-and-aft schooner with running foresail.

"Contracted for by an old-time adventurer, realizing his idea of building a ship on clipper lines, she plied the waters of Northern Europe and Greenland to the Mediterranean with all kinds of cargoes. Named after the wives of both the shipbuilder and the owner, "Regina", she was always a "lucky" ship. . . ."

Continue reading about Regina's early years HERE

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## Searchlight - july 1979

***Searchlight: Ship to Shore News from R/V Regina Maris*** was published during the ORES years to keep shore-side Society members and parents of students and crew informed of the ship's location and activities. The content was called into the ORES office, edited, mimeographed, and mailed out.

Searchlight Vol #4, No. 18 from July 1979 starts out with this reportage from Deckhand Trina Wellman:

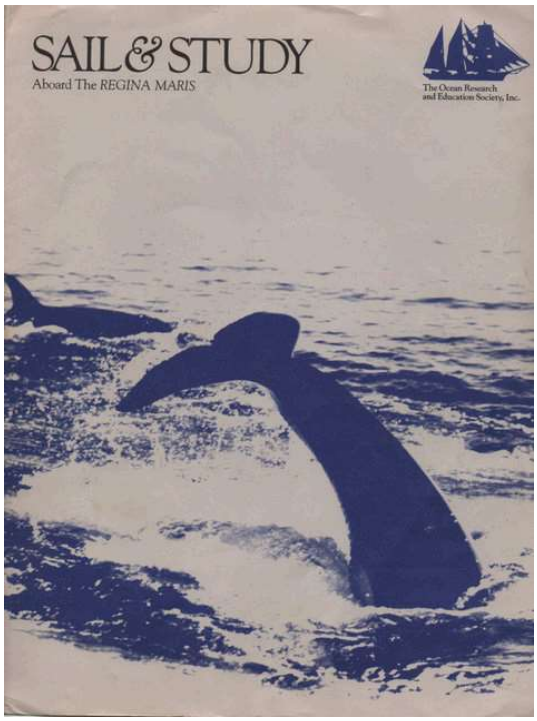
"As we motor through gentle swells, along the coat of Washington, the

sun rising to starboard, the moon setting to port, REGINA finds herself en route to an area known as "The Prairies", located 40 miles West of Cape Padres. Here, we hope to find a congregation of humpbacks and, weather permitting, collect some environmental data, do some photo-identification, and some acoustic recording."

Read the complete Searchlight Vol 4 No 18 HERE

If any of you saved your Searchlight newsletters, let us know. We'd like to put together a complete collection in time for the reunion.

## ORES Brochure - circa 1979




"The Ocean Research and Education Society, Inc. is a non-profit educational membership society, born from a conviction that knowledge and appreciation of the oceans and the fragility of its ecosystems must be vastly expanded if their enormous resources are to be conserved for future generations."

So begins the ORES brochure that convinced many of us to sign on.

See the 4 page ORES Brochure HERE

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## Post Cards 1968 - 1970 - 1975

Top Left Arendal, Norway
circa 1968

Top Right: St Malo, France
circa 1970

Left: At Sea circa 1975

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# Regina Maris Crew Timeline 1908 to 2002

**The Regina Maris Crew Timeline** will be included at the end of every issue of *The Jolly Boat*. Check to see that you are accurately listed Dates displayed after your name indicate the the time you served aboard Regina. Note that we do not have complete date info for many of you. You can easily update your crew dates and all of your contact information by clicking on the "UPDATE MY PROFILE" Button at the end of the timeline

## LAUNCH 1908

## WILSON ERA 1964-70

1966

- Morten Bruenech
- Roger Callan 05/66 to 09/71
- Klaus Peter Hanusa
- Arnfin Johnsen 03/66 to 08/67
- Torre Jorgensen
- Terry Leggett
- Stynar Ryvind
- Kjell Vesje
- John Wilson
- Grimstad Zeitung

1967

- Thor Bie 01/70 to 09/70

1969

- Edward Em England 08/69 to 10/79

## OCEANWIDE CRUISES ERA 1970-73

1970

- Roger Callan (still) to 09/71
- Tim Nossiter --/70 to --/71
- Fred Leeflang 12/70 to 06/72

1971

- John Kerr --71 to/--71
- Adrian Pronk 02/71 to 06/73

1972

- Diedre Lindsey  04/72 to 01/73
- April Beach Pronk  02/71 to 06/73
- Evan Logan  04/72 to 06/73

## WILLOUGHBY ERA 1973-76

1976

- David Reynolds  --/76 to --/76

## ORES  1976-86

1976

- Ann Nichols  --/76 to --/85
- Ken Balcomb  --/76 to --/85
- Donald Eley  12/76 to 04/77 & 08/78 to 10/78
- J Michael Williamson  07/76 to 09/76
- Seth Gelsthorpe  04/76 to 07/76
- Robie Price  --/76 to --/78
- Jill Likkel  11/76 to 03/77

1977

- Pierce Nichols  --/77 to --/85
- Mark Quigley  06/77 to 9/77
- Kathy (Senelly) Goddard  12/77 to 03/78

1978

- Brian Hoppe  --/78 to 03/80
- Allesandro Abate  07/78 to 12/78

1979

- Dominica Nichols --/79 to --/85
- Ben Ellison  winter 78, winter 79
- Lee Bruno  05/79 to 03/80
- Steve Nelson 05/79 to 06/80
- Darlene (Jackson) Marmol  05/79 to 7/79
- Laurie Brevan Stewart  --/79 to --/80
- Daine Daly Chavdez  07/79 to 09/79
- Jeff Gilbert  01/79 to 10/79
- Toni Boettger Bryant  summers 79 & 83
- Andy Chase  10/79 to 05/80
- Emile Amarotico 10/79 to 1/80
- Joan E Antle-Schmidt fall 79, summer 81

1980

- Douglas Haff  summer 83
- Lynda Davis Jeha  02/84 to 05/84
- Michael Moore  02/80 to 05/80
- Kevin Chu  02/80 to 05/80
- Patricia Harcourt  02/80 to 05/80
- Peter Wilcox  07/80 to 5/81
- Carol Fairfield  early 80s

1981

- Nichola J Bloedel  10/82 to 06/83 & 01/84 to 05/84
- Wendy Draper Barrows
- Craig Strang  summers 81 & 84
- Michelle Reddy  03/81 to 04/81

- Clay Commons  06/81 to 08/81
- C Lawrence Schuster  summers 81 & 83

1982

- Lenny Alberts  --/82 to --/84
- Evan Logan  09/82 to 09/84
- Sandy Lord  --/82 to --/82
- Richie Perkins  --/82 to --/84
- Amanda Madeira --/82 to --/84
- Susan Kramer Pope  09/82 to --/82
- Sid Malone  02/82 to 10/82
- Bert Rogers  10/82 to 06/83

1983

- Phillip Clapham  --/83 to --/84
- MacLaren Scott  01/83 to --/84
- Eric Huchins  --/83 to --/85
- Pierre Manigault --/83 to --/83
- John LeBlanc  03/83 to 05/83

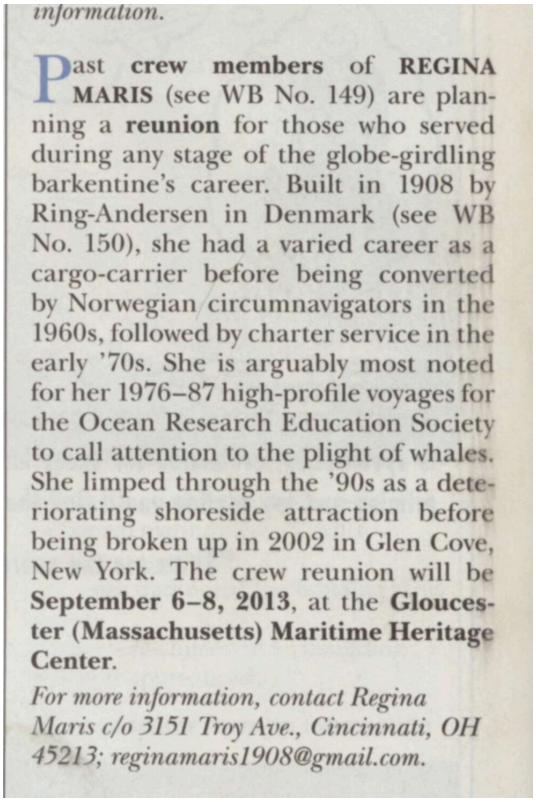
1984

- Pia Hinkle  fall 84
- Alexandra de Steiguer  --/84 to --/84

IDLERS--no self-reported dates of service

- Nancy Kirkles Smith
- Steve Katona
- Jeff Berry
- Thomas Cox
- Doug Elden
- James Frye
- Kathryn Kelly
- Tom Maguire
- Paul Maskell
- Judy Perkins
- Tim Pickhall
- Nancy Prestin
- Chris Roche
- Robert Rosenbaum
- Bill Russo
- Rich Seuss
- Greg Stover
- Thomas Souzze
- Greg Swanzey
- Hall Whitehead
- John Wigglesworth
- Silvia Wilson

# Regina Reunion noted in WoodenBoat



*information.*

Past **crew members** of **REGINA MARIS** (see WB No. 149) are planning a **reunion** for those who served during any stage of the globe-girdling barkentine's career. Built in 1908 by Ring-Andersen in Denmark (see WB No. 150), she had a varied career as a cargo-carrier before being converted by Norwegian circumnavigators in the 1960s, followed by charter service in the early '70s. She is arguably most noted for her 1976–87 high-profile voyages for the Ocean Research Education Society to call attention to the plight of whales. She limped through the '90s as a deteriorating shoreside attraction before being broken up in 2002 in Glen Cove, New York. The crew reunion will be **September 6–8, 2013**, at the **Gloucester (Massachusetts) Maritime Heritage Center**.

*For more information, contact Regina Maris c/o 3151 Troy Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45213; reginamaris1908@gmail.com.*

**WoodenBoat magazine #230 (Jan-Feb 2013) includes an announcement of the Regina Maris reunion 2013**. WoodenBoat has a large international following and so should make a few more Regina shipmates aware of the reunion. The contact info noted is still accurate, so grab a copy at your local news stand and use it to encourage your Regina friends get on the *Jolly Boat* mailing list. Note that it will probably be mid to late December before the Jan-Feb WoodenBoat appears on shelves at your local bookstore

Both the WB 230 (w/ reunion announcement) and WB 149 (w/ article "Regina Maris, Long Live the Queen") are available for download at the online WoodenBoat Store HERE.

# Reunion Central: Maritime Gloucester

**Meeting facilities** have been reserved at Maritime Gloucester, which is sited right down in Gloucester's historic working harbor.

http://maritimegloucester.org/

MARITIME GLOUCESTER

*Oceans of Discovery*

# Hotel Blocked: Rockport Inn & Suites

**A block of rooms** has been reserved at the Rockport Inn and Suites at a reasonable group rate for the nights of Sept 6 & 7.

www.rockportinnandsuites.com

## Group Sails:  Traditional Schooners Ahoy!

**Local schooners** have been tentatively reserved for short daysails.  Once reunion registration starts up, we'll have options for you to express your interest in going out in one of the daysails.

*Ardelle* is one of the schooners being considered for daysails.

http://schoonerardelle.com/

## Share photos, stories, and corrections

Next issue of *The Jolly Boat* will be emailed in mid-January  More reunion news, more crew photos, and an updated Crew Timeline,  We'd also love to include some photos from your collections.  Which ones?

- Group photos posed for the camera.
- Hurricane Celeste
- Rounding Cape Horn

You can send those photos, as well as any comments and corrections to us at:

**reginamaris1908@gmail.com**

--Steve Nelson,  editor,  *The Jolly Boat*

**The Regina Maris Reunion 2013 Organizing Crew**
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Roger Callan (66-71)
Eric Hutchins (83-85)
Darlene Jackson Marmol (79)
Amanda Madeira (82-84)
Steve Nelson (79-80)

Ann Nichols (76-85)
Richie Perkins (82-84)

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